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For: PROFILING ITEM SELLERS TO INFORM ITEM PURCHASING DECISIONS AND BUILD TRUST IN A MULTIPLE-SELLER

BUILD TRUST IN A MULTIPLE-SELLE MARKETPLACE

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated March 12, 2007, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.